



# World League Plans Rapidly Assuming Form at Preliminary Meetings of Peace Delegations

## UNION FAVORED BY TWO FORCES.

Envoy Nearing Common Ground on Wilson's Idea.

British Statesman Gives Views on Work Proposed.

Asserts America Could Regulate Hemisphere.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P. I.

PARIS, Jan. 15.—With the resumption today of the meetings preliminary to the Peace Conference it is apparent that the movement to create a league of nations is being carried on by two forces, having the same object, but differing as to the means for making it effective. One of these represents the contention that the decisions of the league must be backed by its combined physical forces, while the other represents the view that its findings can be enforced without the aid of a common world police force.

Diplomats were impressed with the view that such ideas as moving toward a common ground which, for example, might prove that the nations could reserve for each individual the right to self-government they would utilize armed force or avail themselves of other means.

There is reason to believe that such an arrangement would meet with the approval of the European powers concerned and there is nothing to indicate that it would be rejected by the American representatives.

The plans are being rapidly put into operation and the diplomats are working toward a position where the Peace Conference in full will assume them thoroughly and then proceed to draw the members from among its membership to produce the framework in writing, with the assistance of the technical advisers.

**JOINT PROBLEMS.**

These European statesmen who now appear friendly to the purpose of putting the league of nations question to the fore have repeatedly expressed the view that the formation of the league and the creation of peace are joint problems which cannot be disassociated. The efforts thus far to send all the delegations to the Peace Conference in time to the league, so that the conference may proceed to the actual making of the peace treaty, in the early spring, even though it be only a prelude to the pressing question of demobilization and the return of the warring countries as nearly as possible to their normal conditions of life.

This is recognized by all the statesmen at the conference as of the utmost necessity.

The sponsors for the League of Nations plan contemplate the broadening of the functions of the proposed league as the preliminary discussions proceed, their assumption being that the new organization will be the subject of raw material and finance, proceeding on the theory that the financial or economic domination of smaller nations by the larger is no less a danger than armed domination.

The financial programmes of the League, as viewed in these quarters, are not yet clear, but what is in doubt first should lead its aid financially and economically to the small independent states which are rising out of the war.

**CLOSING OF THE LEAGUE.**

BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P. I.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—In the absence of a definite policy from the Allies concerning the manner in which Germany shall make compensation for the depredations of submarine victims among seamen, the Executive Committee of the International Federation of Seafarers has evolved a plan by which the officials hope to force the Peace Conference to act. The committee has called an international conference in London on February 24, at which time the British delegates will present a resolution providing that the seamen will not man any ships going or coming from any enemy country until the proper compensation is agreed upon.

Eric Treloak, president of the International Seamen's Union, said to the Associated Press today:

"It seems that the British seamen are anxious to have the question of whether compensation is to be paid to those men who have been too busy to think of the seamen in preparing for the conference, so we will take the matter into our own hands in the hope of effecting a striking blow to the notice of the delegates by the necessity for taking care of our people."

"I have no doubt that the conference will adopt a resolution providing that no food shall go to Germany until these dependents are released."

The leaders of the seamen, including Andrew Furuseth of the United States, expect that the February conference will adopt a plan for the Polacks abroad to represent Poland among the Allied nations and to raise an army.

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William said that all of the principal countries had promised to send their admiral to the conference.

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## THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP

**THE SKY.** Cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., southwest; 10 miles. Then winds lighter. 11 deg. 45 min. 40 sec. Forecast: Thursday, cloudy. For complete weather data see last page of this section.

**THE CITY.** No news picture stars reported dead the proposed billiards club trust by arranging to make and market their own pictures. Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, Chaplin, Hart and Griffiths entered in their own distribution company.

An agreement was made that work on the Big Devil's Gate dam to control floods in the Arroyo Seco will be started within a month.

Grand jury, which for the first time included women, took steps to investigate the case of Mrs. May and Mr. Gibson, who is expected to be called before the inquisitorial body today.

In order to raise new revenue the City Council planned a general license tax on every line of business not already covered by existing ordinances.

After a five-year fight against land-grabbers the Southern Pacific and the Imperial Valley Farms Lands Association had the validity of their title to vast acreage established by the United States Supreme Court.

New charges were made against politicians who are supposed to have knowledge concerning the Pugot murder. Japanese accused two of grand larceny.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.**—President Wallingford launched at San Pedro the Long Beach Shipbuilding Company.

The die of inflation of huge gas in bold of large until recently engaged in help cutting price.

Loss by fire negligible in orange groves of Orange county. Lemon groves suffer seriously, citrus

which "has ambitions."

## POLES CAUSING ALLIES WORRY.

Rival Governments Contend for Supremacy.

Paderewski Group Favored by French Premier.

Bolsheviki Threaten to Overrun the Country Now.

BY ARTHUR M. EVANS.

[ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PARIS, Jan. 14 (delayed).—Poland's situation is becoming a growing source of anxiety to the Allied nations. With two rival governments in existence the Allies are unable to determine which to recognize, and may have to wait for the elections on January 26 to indicate which is the real representative Poland.

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Lord Robert said that the league must be constituted by the present Peace Conference, adding: "Otherwise it will become an impossibility."

Lord Robert said that every one of the Allies favored a league of some sort and that they were not separated by any vital point.

As to the scope of the league, he said, "there were still many purely legal disputes between the nations which had to be settled by arbitration."

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White Poland is in a deadlock between Paderewski's government and Gen. Piłsudski's, the country is meanwhile menaced from the outside. It has external dangers as well as internal disorders.

In Eastern Galicia the Ruthenians have started a war for the Polish city of Lemberg, while away to the northward Bolshevik troops from Russia are driving across Lithuania and threatening Poland.

It is patent that Poland thus is a barrier which keeps the Reds of Russia from affecting a juncture with the Germans in the west and with Germany. It is thoroughly recognized here that the importance of saving Poland from the Bolshevik invasion is of the highest order.

Lord Robert said that the Reds would mean one great blight of Bolshevism in a large part of Central Europe. Here the difficulties would grow.

Gen. Piłsudski faces the double problem of defending the country from outside invaders and of preserving order within. Some relief was provided in the order of the day to the Polish Legions.

Meanwhile the transfer of the armaments of the Polish National Committee from France to Poland, which would afford much relief, is blocked for the present by a lack of shipping facilities and other obstacles.

Reports circulated that Americans were sending soldiers into Poland are misleading. On the best authority, it is believed that the United States has not ordered any American troops to Poland and is not urging upon other Allies intervention in Poland's behalf to assist the Poles in their contention notwithstanding.

Gen. Piłsudski is requesting the Allies to send not a military expedition, but a sufficient number of experts to furnish the materials required for enterprises of which the Allies might not approve, for example, a drain on Eastern German coal.

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## Delegations.

## BERLIN REVOLT FINALLY ENDED.

Spartacists Disarmed, Arrested or in Flight.

Cordon of Loyal Troops Guards Industrial Section.

Reinstatement of Police Holds Criminals in Check.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P. T.

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BOLSHEVISM ENDING.

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the scattered outposts villages are scattered forests. Along

these waterways and rivers of snow-covered ground, here and there one finds the remnants of native settlements have been destroyed. Some are inadequate. This had the effect of reducing the morale of the troops at the start.

CABINET KIDNAPED.

On the morning after disbanding

a battalion remaining in Archangel held a parade to impress the population. Coming to the reviewing stand Archangel's chief, General Transki, addressed for President Tschakowsky, who was then in Archangel to restore the reign of terror. They are insignificant, however.

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THE STATE FISH EXCHANGE has fixed a price for today and tomorrow of NOT TO EXCEED

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FOR TIRED BLOCK GRAB OF TURKS' CAPITAL

Peace Conference to Neutralize Constantinople.

Greek Claims for City are not Given Much Weight.

International Control Planned of "Gate to Asia."

BY ARTHUR M. EVANS.

(ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVELY DISPATCHED.)

PARIS, Jan. 14.—(Delayed). Constantinople, the bridge between Europe and Asia, may be put under international control by the Peace Conference, and one of Greece's iridescent dreams thus will be knocked into a cocked hat. Sentiment among the Allied Powers appears to be crystallizing rapidly in favor of such a settlement when the Turk is kicked out of his capital.

As to the method of administration several projects are being aired. One idea is that the League of Nations might be given control of the city. Another is that a special international commission might be made the agency of administration. Still another is that the state itself might govern Constantinople as a trustee.

Every peace mission here seems to have a different idea of how the great gateway should be governed, but the greatest thought which appears uppermost is that no one nation shall pull Constantinople out of the hands of the powers that be. The Allies want no ghosts of the old "eastern question" arising out of the peace settlement.

COVETED PRIZE.

For the generations the Ottoman capital has been the prize coveted by rival nations. Russia, Austria, France, Greece, Germany, Bulgaria and others at times have dreamed of the possession.

Out of a secret, copper-riveted, alabaster casket, in which the preliminaries of an "open covenant" had been signed, it was found that the city would be the thirty-sixth State to vote on the proposal. Quick action in presenting the measure was promised by the House Temperance Committee. Senate leaders also seem determined to push it through.

SANTA FE, Jan. 15.—We are going to rush a resolution through the Legislature tomorrow ratifying the national prohibition amendment.

Gov. Laramore tonite "and make New Mexico the thirty-sixth State to vote for nation-wide prohibition." The platform of both dominant parties favored ratification of the amendment, so our leaders in putting it through the Legislature in record time.

UTAH IS THIRTY-FIFTH.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 15.—Utah became the thirty-fifth state to ratify the national prohibition amendment to the national Constitution today when the State Senate unanimously adopted the resolution, passed by the House yesterday.

The Senate joint resolution No. 2, favoring a league of nations to enforce peace, which is deemed an endorsement of the plan proposed by President Wilson for a league of nations, was adopted by the Senate after a long debate.

Among other bills presented in the Senate was one aimed to suppress sabotage, sedition and a possible outbreak of Bolshevikism in Utah. It follows closely a law now in force in Montana.

SENATE'S joint resolution from Venizelos to the Allies, however, suggests that the question of Constantinople be reserved for a later decision by the Peace Conference.

Greece has been the most insistent champion of Constantinople. Hellenic colonists seven centuries before the Christian era dawed, was a part of the "Greek idea" of empire.

Besides, under international control Constantinople would prove a great service in the protection which the world must of necessity soon to be established under the self-determination principle, to keep them from exploitation by Germany.

Greece has been the most insistent champion of Constantinople. They have visited the remains of the old Byzantine empire, but even among the Greeks the idea of international control of Constantinople appears to be taking root.

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GREEKS ASK THRACE.

Most important of the Greeks' aims is the claim to Thrace in European Turkey.

Thrace extends from the eastern frontier of Greece along the coast of the Aegean Sea to the Dardanelles to the sea of Marmara to Constantinople. If given to Thrace Greece would control the Dardanelles.

Asia Minor Greeks lay claim to parts of the Villages of Brusa or Brossus, lies south of the sea of Marmara, southeast of Constantinople. The village of Aidon lies along the eastern coast of the Aegean Sea. It is to the east of Aidon, the interior of Dodonea, the islands off the Turkish coast in the Aegean Sea, the western shore of which is Greece.

Such possession by Greece would give the Aegean Greek sea. They are seeking analogous rights which would convert the Adriatic almost into an Italian sea.

ASIA MINOR GREEK.

There are nearly two million Greeks in Asia Minor or about 13 percent of the total population and they are the most successful commercial element in the land. The lands of the Aegean coast are almost solidly Greek. Italy has territories in the north, but in 1911 it occupied the island of Dodonea, which the Greeks as well as the island of Cyprus, now ruled by England.

Venizelos' memorandum excepts the Greeks of Adams and Trebizond for incorporation in a future Armenian state.

Constantinople is about due east of the Black Sea. The province of Adana is on the north coast of the Mediterranean.

As to the Balkans the contents of the note are not fully known, but it is said to set up claims to northern Epirus which was assigned to Italy in 1913. It was captured by force in 1914 by Greek Southern Epirus was given to Greeks in 1913 and the towns are mainly Greek.

Cyprus is along the Greek west frontier on the east Adriatic coast.

All the minor nations appear to be in a position to win a kit full of claims. All are asking more than they know they can get, on the theory that they may not be disappointed too much with what they get.

Some of the ancient nations are putting their claims on an archaeological rather than on an ethnological basis. In other words, in some instances is distributed shaving photographs of ancient ruins, indicating who were the original colonists.

But the Peace Conference will not give a nation territory simply be-

cause it contains ruins of an emperor's bath-house and more than it is going to give Chicago to the Potowatamies because they were the first settlers or that it will give the United States to Italy because Columbus discovered America.

NATION TO PASS DRY LAW TODAY

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article by appropriate legislation.

"Section 2—This article shall not be operative unless it shall be ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the legislatures of the several states, as provided in the Constitution, within 12 months of the submission thereof to the states."

The resolution was passed by the Senate, 65 to 20, Aug. 28, 1917, and by the House, 212 to 123, Dec. 10, 1917. The Senate, May 1, 1918, was the first state to ratify it, its legislature acting January 8, 1918.

STEPHEN'S MARKS TIME.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—No action had been taken by Gov. Stephen in certifying the resolution proposing a national prohibition amendment to the Constitution.

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Do Their Own "Merging" While Film Financiers Fuss.



D. W. Griffith, in oval above. Below, in oval, William S. Hart. The others are, left to right, Douglas Fairbanks, Charlie Chaplin and Mary Pickford.

**"ARTISTS" FORM COMBINE.**

(Continued from First Page)

exhibitors in effecting a distributing system which will be fair, impartial and sensitive to the public's wants. We shall bring the public into making it does not wish to see. This is not to be an exclusive association.

We shall ally ourselves with the foremost talent, that is proven talent, that appears to the public. The most prominent individuals, especially leaders, who have taken the first step. But we have the sympathy and support of many others.

The action is not taken in condemnation of individual exhibitors. It is a protest against a system. It is a declaration of independence against an outworn condition that has not served as it should either the theaters or the public. The new organization has come from business who acted according to their lights. But we believe the production of motion pictures to be an art, and that those who have served long apprenticeships, have proved the success purely through their personal efforts, should have more voice."

We now see that there was a true forming of forces, an arrangement to bring about motion-picture trust, and we came together. There is no reason why others who make first-class pictures, such as Norma Talmadge, Clara Kimball, and others, cannot join our organization should they so desire.

"We have plenty of capital and business backing to put into effect the necessary booking machinery and the public will be the gainer by the new organization."

ZUKOR NOT WORRIED. President Adolph Zukor of the Paramount company was seen at the Alexandria last night and appeared unperturbed by the move of the five stars of the great business he had built.

"The Paramount company will go on just the same," said Mr. Zukor, smilingly.

"No," said Mr. Zukor. "We have a big business and it will go right along."

"And develop new stars?"

"Is the Paramount company broke or to be put out of business by what has happened?"

"Completely not," said Mr. Zukor. "We go on just the same."

Mr. Zukor added that the stars had evidently taken their action to protect themselves against something which it is rumored.

The stars, yesterday, that were to stand on the own legs. There is no dismay in our ranks regarding the bolting of the stars. In fact, it looks as if we have them for nearly a year longer. And I can assure you when it is rumored that

there are over 25,000 motion-picture theaters in the United States and that the industry is the fourth largest in the country.

IT IS NO DISMAY.

One close friend of the First National Exhibitors Circuit made the following statement on behalf of the members of the organization last night:

"The First National will continue to stand on its own legs. There is no dismay in our ranks regarding the bolting of the stars. In fact, it looks as if we have them for nearly a year longer. And I can assure you when it is rumored that

there are over 25,000 motion-picture theaters in the United States and that the industry is the fourth largest in the country.

IT IS NO DISMAY.

"With the First National," was asked.

"Again absolutely no," answered Mr. Zukor emphatically. Both the First National and the Paramount company are left with a string of theaters on their hands, but none of the big lights to play them. This is no doubt the new move will affect the whole program policy, as all the houses will naturally try to secure the films made by the "Big Five."

**TO THE BRAVE AMERICAN WOMEN.**

Your Labor Counts—every ounce of work you do helps. This war was fought as truly in the household and in the workshop as it was in the trenches.

It is the women of America—the mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts of those at the front—who made real war sacrifices. It is their everlasting love, undying determination, their God-given patriotism, which carried the spirit of success to every man in our army and navy.

Some of our American women are born down physically and mentally by the weaknesses of their sex. They suffer from backache, dragging sensations, very nervous and pain in top of head. If they ask their neighbor, they will be told to take a Favorite Prescription of Doctor Pierce's, a woman's temperature tonic, which has been so well and favorably known for the past century. Now put up in Tablet form as well as Liquid.

Weak women should try it now. Don't wait! Begin today. This woman's tonic and nerve tonic will bring vim, vigor and vitality. Send to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., 10 cents for trial package of tablets.

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"Behold and see, if there be any sorrow like unto Her sorrow."

# For the Faith of Their Fathers

*"Faith of Our Fathers Living Still, In Spite of Battle, Fire and Sword"*

ARMENIANS would never have been massacred if they had renounced their Christian faith and become Moslems. For centuries they have been victims of the Turkish scimitar because they adhered to the faith of their fathers. Armenia, mother of the Christian church, is today the world's most tragic example of "Crucifixion for Christ."

## Hoover Pleads for Armenia's Children

"*THERE is no greater suffering anywhere than in Asia Minor,*" says Herbert C. Hoover in a telegram to Judge H. N. Wells, chairman of the relief campaign in Southern California. He says:

"THE world relief program now being developed by the United States and the Allies contemplates that whenever possible relief work will be financed by the countries affected, through the medium of loans or other Government assistance. Nevertheless, distress and suffering exist in many areas where payment for relief supplies cannot be made. These charity cases will still urgently need private benevolence."

"This is the situation with regard to the Armenians, Syrians and Persians. There is probably no greater suffering today than among the persecuted peoples of Asia Minor, who have no funds and cannot secure Government loans, and have no other credit."

"It is to aid these distressing situations that your committee for Armenian and Syrian relief is making its appeal to the generosity of the American people. With your financing accomplished, your committee representing three stricken peoples can come under the direction of the new interallied world relief organizations and will receive co-operation in the purchasing and shipment of supplies. Arrangements are now being made to assign one complete cargo of flour now en route to Southern Europe to the order of your committee, and further supplies will shortly be allocated to you by the Interallied Committee as soon as we are assured that the necessary finances have been provided by you."

[Signed]

HERBERT C. HOOVER."

Of a population in Armenia and Syria of four millions, there are two millions dead. There are 400,000 orphan children. It is for these children that LORD BRYCE of England is pleading; it is for these children that AMBASSADOR MORGANTHAU is touring this country and speaking. With these helpless, starving babies in mind, PRESIDENT WILSON has issued a national proclamation, calling upon the generosity of the American people. GOVERNOR STEPHENS has issued a strong appeal.

EVERY church in Los Angeles, Protestant and Catholic, is actively engaged in this campaign. The Jews of this city, led by great-hearted rabbis and business men, have assured us that their quota is forthcoming.

## Armenian and Syrian Relief Committee of Southern California

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SEND checks direct to Armenian and Syrian Relief Committee, 719 South Hill street, or hand them to the leaders in any religious organization in the city or community where you live

Southern California's Quota \$500,000

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## WALLINGFORD SLIDESWAYS.

Dips Gracefully into the Sea.

Product of Long Beach Company's Yard.

John Craig II Christens Big Merchantman.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

Long Beach, Jan. 15.—Gracefully

without a hitch, the 220-ton

freighter Wallingford,

competition at the yards of

Long Beach Shipbuilding Com-

pany from the ways of the local

morning.

The name of Garbutt's speed boat

is "Over the Top."

The present time and in his

races is that of the Hudson

boat which is known as one

of the speediest in the West.

Owing to his speed boat

Garbutt has a new boat

under construction, Joe F.

Farnum is in charge of the

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new boat, Farnum

would have an excellent record

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Garbutt to bring his speed boat

compete in some

meets against Miss Detroit and

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had been invited to the

information, to the

Garrett, agreed

to race in the East, if he

was invited to take part

here, the expert

Catalina Island. If Gar-

burt lands the Liberty motor, as is

there is no doubt but that

he will compete with the

speed boats.

WILL KILL LIONS TO SAVE ANIMALS

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Jan. 15.—Following

complaints of residents of the

Tuolumne River district, in the

Redlands National

Bank and his wife

sent to H.

Ford, president of the bank.

She has three relatives, a cousin in

Connecticut.

Mrs. Hayes was one of the well-

known musicians of the city and had

been in the bank for several months.

She was the widow of J. C. Hayes

and leaves a mother, Mrs. Olivia

Hayes.

DOES WORK OF SIX.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Jan. 15.—A new vacuum

cleaner to suck up the papers, lunch

boxes and other debris on the beach

for the Emergency Fleet Cor-

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weapons and ammunition, and the

tending to remain in the hills until

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Scene at the launching of the Wallingford, built by the Long Beach Shipbuilding Company for the Emergency Fleet Corporation.

## BILGE GAS KILLS TWO.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Jan. 15.—Two men are dead from inhal-

ing deadly sulphurized hydrogen or

common sewer gas in the hold of a

city rock barge at Fish Harbor to-

day. Sam McDonald of San Pedro, the first man who went down into

the hold, is one of the number, but

he did not lose his life until after

he had made three trips into the

hold, one for the reduction plant and

one to handle rock for the new bulkhead

at Terminal. Decay of kelp and salt

water, it is believed, generated the

gas in deadly form.

Statements issued show that the

year 1918 was the most prosperous

year in the history of the three

banks.

TRAILER HIT MAN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 15.—Joseph

Deupre of Los Angeles was taken to

the Santa Ana Hospital today,

suffering from injuries to his back

and head, cut and bruised. The

injuries were sustained when a

trailer broke loose from an auto

on East First street and struck him.

The trailer was loaded with cables

and hardware. Los Angeles police

and the casualties included two

bottles of milk, three buns, a

doughnut and a couple of pies. The

trailer did not overturn.

YOUNG SAILOR DIES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 15.—Mr. and

Mrs. Harry Martin of No. 24 High-

land avenue, who received a

make used by soldiers from Fort

MacArthur after fires using

smoke helmets failed to reach him.

The remaining five were Arthur

Carlson, Harry Robinson, R. G.

McFarlane, Fred and Peter

Nickells, foreman of the gang. All

survived quickly when removed from

the hold and responded to treatment

with pneumonia in the hands of physi-

cians.

His mother is seriously ill and was

not notified until official confirmation

had been resumed by the govern-

ment.

Lieut. Cook, son of Mrs. E. S. Cook

of Sunbury, Ohio, one of the

leaders of the steel business of Phila-

delphia, was killed in France on Decem-

ber 21, 1918, at the age of 20 years and

entered the navy in June, last, as a

woman.

Lieut. Cook was born in New York

and graduated from the U. S. Naval

Academy in 1914.

He was serving in the 5th Division

when he was killed.

MOTORISTS IN WRECK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Jan. 15.—Losing con-

trol of their car while going down

the grade at Horsehoe Bend near

Wheeler's Springs, Clarence and

Leonard Soper, well-known residents

of the valley, were killed in the accident.

Both men were driving home from

work.

SPEEDING COST \$100.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Jan. 15.—Guy Lovelace,

a ranch owner in the Tipton dis-

trict, having been assessed the

largest fine ever imposed in Tulare

county after conviction on a charge

of speeding, Judge Clack, before whom

# Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—At the Play-houses

## SOCIETY.

BY VIRGINIA WOODS.

### The Pattons.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Patton and their daughter, Miss Anne Patton, have gone to Washington for a six weeks' visit with Mrs. George S. Patton, Jr., Col. George S. Patton, who has distinguished himself on foreign battlefields, expects to remain in France on Gen. Pershing's staff another year. Miss Patton left for the East a day or so ahead of Mr. and Mrs. Patton, they going Tuesday.

### Lieutenant-Commander Monroe.

Friends of Lieutenant-Commander William Robert Monroe, U.S.N., will be interested to know of his return from Panama last evening. He will be absent ten days while he and Mrs. Monroe will leave for Philadelphia for the winter. She will remain there with him until spring, when he expects to go abroad. Mrs. Monroe's mother-in-law, Mrs. Leonard, and Mrs. Howard Wells (Margaret Johnson) are both quite ill with influenza at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. P. John. Yesterday, however, she was both somewhat improved.

### Mrs. Brainerd.

Mrs. A. S. Brainerd, State chairman of the National Woman's Library Loan Committee, returned yesterday from Washington, where she went in connection with her war work. Just before leaving last week, she attended a luncheon at which Senator James D. Phelan entertained a distinguished group in compliment to Mrs. Harry F. Grady (Lafayette) and Mrs. Bessemer M. Brainerd, and Mrs. Grady, others at the function were. Mrs. A. S. Baldwin, chairman of the Twelfth Federal Bank District of San Francisco; Mrs. M. C. Mathews, Mrs. Brainerd; Mrs. Winifred, Mrs. Brainerd; Harry F. Grady, Senator J. Ham Lewis, McKellar, Henderson and Mr. John Barrett. Mrs. Grady is a former Los Angeles girl who sang and played the star role in the "Mission Play" several years.

### Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson made the homecoming of their son, Ensign Weston Stephens Wilson, a most happy day. He had been gone a year and half, but came back two weeks ago to a day of great rejoicing of absence, but yesterday received orders to report for duty at once at his post at Pelham Bay Park. He left at 10 o'clock.

### Mrs. Zane.

Mrs. Wilson's niece, Mrs. Randolph Zane, who is in Washington, is just recovering from pneumonia, being able to leave the hospital the last of December. She has been having a very sad time. She went to Washington for the holidays, hoping to comfort her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Zane, following the death in France of their son, and her husband, Maj. Zane. Shortly after her arrival Admiral Zane became ill with pneumonia and died January 2. Since then her little daugh-

ter Marjorie has also been sick with pneumonia and Mrs. Simpson, her mother, and wife of Gov. Staphens, has been confined to her bed ever since the death of Maj. Zane.

### Lient. and Mrs. Lloyd Georges.

Lient. and Mrs. Lloyd Georges Franks, where they were holiday guests of his mother, Mrs. George Schulte, have taken a house at 422 South Hobart boulevard. They and their son, Edward, Jr., are not coming back to town this winter, but plan to remain at their ranch until spring and then go to the beach for the summer.

Mrs. David McCartney, who has been in Colorado Springs and Denver since last spring, has returned

### Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. J. H. Miles of Westmoreland place was hostess at a bridge luncheon yesterday for sixteen guests among them were Dr. J. L. Holcomb, Mrs. F. W. Walsh, Mrs. Erasmus Wilson, Mrs. James Phillips, Mrs. Oscar M. Souden, Mrs. O. H. Churhill, Mrs. George Bishop, Mrs. Charles MacFarland, Mrs. J. H. Hollisbury, Mrs. Adams and several others.

### Swimming Party and Tea.

Mrs. L. E. Nairn of Detroit, who is here for the winter, was hostess at a swimming party at the beach yesterday, entertaining her guests later at tea at the Alexandria. The party was Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Kirkin, Mrs. Howard Stevens, Miss Clare Abel, Miss Charlene Cohen, Mrs. Frank Cohen, all of Detroit, and Mrs. Fred W. Holbrook of Los Angeles.

### Home from Army Camp.

Maj. (Dr.) Henry H. Lissner and Mrs. Lissner returned yesterday from Camp Pike Little Rock, Ark., where he has been on duty in the medical department the past six months. Mrs. Lissner has been with him four months. They are being received again in their home, No. 2156 Hobart boulevard, and will be at home to their friends every evening.

### Personals.

Miss Virginia Wood has returned from Stanford to undergo a slight operation, having suffered an injury from too strenuous gymnastics. Her mother, Mrs. Mattie Wood, only recently returned from an extended trip through the East and South. She is expecting the homecoming of her son, Lieut. Harry R. Wood, very shortly. At present he is on furlough in New York. He is a member of the field hospital attached to the Seventy-eighth Infantry in France.

### Frederick Warde.

Frederick Warde, Staples of Detroit are in Southern California again for the winter and are at their handsome Oak Knoll home on La Loma drive.

### Famous Players.

Douglas Fairbanks tells this one

regarding Edgar Selwyn, the noted playwright, and the latter's feelings on being loaned to a famous actress.

Margaret Mayo, who you remember, went to France with the Overseas Players to entertain the soldiers in the trenches. She is separated from her husband, Captain Nathan L. Overall and Mrs. Jessie H. Worthen of Kansas City are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Kneidley of No. 2148 Oak street.

### Pauline Curley.

Pauline Curley, whose role is that of child-wife to the young unbeliever 'round whom the touching story revolves.

### Frederick Warde.

IN "MISSION PLAY."

A veteran of the stage and the greatest of the living exponents of the old school of the classics comes to Los Angeles—none other than Frederick Warde, who is to play the leading role in the "Mission Play," which begins its eighth year at San Gabriel on February 10.

"Like Nathan Hale," answered Warde, with bright promptness.

"Sorry I have only one wife to give to my country!"

### Famous Players Get Famous Play.

"Come Out and See the Kitchen" the famous Hollywood musical comedy starring vehicle, has been purchased by Famous Players-Lasky Company as a vehicle for Marguerite Clark.

### Viola Dana at Heartsease.

Viola Dana, Metro star, has established herself in a beautiful home in Hollywood. It is a vine-clad dwelling which she and her husband have christened Heartsease. It is set in a natural hollow, embowered by trees, with a quaint winding pathway leading from the front veranda to the side walk.

When Miss Dana was here last winter, she and her late husband, John Collins, dwelt at the Hollywood Hotel, but since his passing, the victim of a heart attack, six months ago, though so young and lovely and popular, Miss Dana has sought retirement when not engaged in social life at the studio. It is said the Heartsease is a "haven" which Miss Dana and her husband had often looked at together when they were here last winter.

### Shows and Deaf.

There's been an exciting new show and deal in directors of late. Arriving in town yesterday was no less a person than Sidney Franklin, who has been loaned to director Marshall Pickard, his next victim. Robert Leonard, Mrs. Murray's director-husband, pending the final decision of Miss Murray as to what film offer she has accepted of the many that have been tendered her, is to direct Norma Talmadge.

The shuffle involves Chester Withey and his bad case of "du." While Franklin is interested in just Miss Talmadge alternately, but Miss Murray has been loaned to Miss Pickford temporarily, and Mr. Withey being stricken with the flu, charge of the Talmadge company's megaphone. Marshal Neilan, who has been directing Max Pickford, is to return to the directorship of the Blanche Sweet production.

### Frederick Warde.

Leading actor in the "Mission Play," whose eighth year begins at San Gabriel on February 10.

### Victor Keenan.

Victor Keenan at one of the Hollywood studios. Mrs. Warde is with him and they both look the picture of health. They express themselves as being highly pleased with the opportunity to return to California.

### From the very inception of the "Mission Play" efforts have been

made to secure Frederick Warde for the title role, but this is the first time that these efforts have met with success.

### The Role of Frys Juniper.

"The Role of Frys Juniper," said Mr. Warde, "is interesting. In life, with all my past experiences and education as an actor, it is a classic and a part that any actor would do justice to perfectly. I have already studied the part and am confident that a huge crocodile had terrorized the natives, snapping off their limbs when they were bathing, and sometimes carrying off and devouring them, really, they had to invent their god to intercede and render the beast harmless, which he did. Then came the crocodile to the god and pleaded that since he had been tormented so long, the natives had to be freed from his bite. The god, however, was beyond endurance, even torturing him; and, being under ban, he might not retaliate.

Alma Francis, of "Pink Lady" and "Madame Sherry" successes, the little country girl who goes to town to make a name for herself, Margaret Mayo, who is very beautiful and wearing exceedingly decorative yellow curles, La Mary Pickford, attracts the attention of the audience more than any of the stars. All goes well until the arrival of the professional vamp Dorothy Hagar, who, for a time, upsets the plans of everybody in the company, but who is brought to bay last night, all the stars are safe.

I think of the actors in the show, and of the actors therein, he feels no hesitation in showing Chester Conklin is as sarcastic and disdainful as one could wish, and Miss Pickford, the director, who is as bold as a lion, and, when directed by Jack Weatherby, acts as a protectress.

Wiseley, the philosopher here makes an effort to have his hearers to make their own application of the legend to the theme under discussion.

### Checks Returned.

### Witnesses Prove that Two Charges Made Against Col. Newton are Without Foundation.

If Col. Harry H. Newton, who is now being tried by court-martial at Fort MacArthur on charges of irregularities in connection with government contracts, ever answers to charge of having made false statements in connection with an exemption affidavit, it will have to be in another court, as the court now sitting in his case cannot try him on that count, as the complaint has been amended. The case may never be tried, it is said.

The court yesterday proceeded to take evidence in the matter of alleged irregularities in contracting. John T. Ward, San Pedro contractor, testified that he gave Col. Newton \$750 cash as evidence of good faith in connection with a bid on government work, and that he received \$100 in return.

Thomas Haverty, of the Thomas

Haverty Company testified that Col. Newton returned both of his firm's certified checks promptly. The action of the court in this case is to be determined by the trial court.

Bernard F. Meine, for over ten

years director of the Mason Opera

house, died last night of

pneumonia.

Mr. Meine was one of the best-known men in Los Angeles musical

circles and had won fine reputa-

tions as a conductor and as an orchestra director. He had lived in Los Angeles for twenty-five years.

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The short, close net sleeves are  
most suitable for evening.  
The waistcoat is now braided, etc.  
every other article.  
The newest hats for afternoon  
and evening are to be of  
spring's newest materials.  
A coat with ribbons sleeves nat-  
urally tapers in at the knees.  
The coat-dress promises to be  
the spring's prevailing fashion.  
The ribbon belt of black satin  
is the most popular.  
The long double train accom-  
panies many short evening gowns.

**TO PLEAD ON MONDAY.**

D. F. Tibberson, local steamship  
agent, indicted for perjury in con-  
nection with an affidavit made in a  
passport case, was arraigned before  
U.S. Commissioner District Judge Trig-  
ger yesterday. Through his attorney  
he asked that he be allowed to  
plead to the charge next Monday.

**COURT TO HOLD AUCTION.**

The Board of Supervisors will  
hold an auction sale of 7000 pieces  
of old automobile tires, asbestos  
and electric light fixtures on  
29th inst.

**Campaigner with Custer is Dead.**

(By A. P. Night Wind)  
**HYLAND WALLS** (N. Y.) Jan. 11.  
U.S.A. was born from service in  
1878 because of his services in  
Custer's campaigns against the  
Sioux, and who since has conducted  
preparatory school for West Point  
cadets, died at West Point  
today. He was 72 years of age.

**Announcements—Entertainments.**

**Tonight and Balance of Week**  
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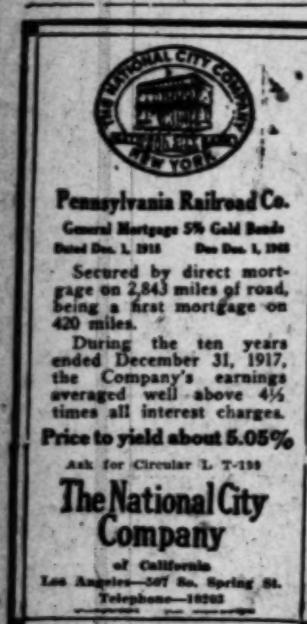
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### NEW LOAN PLANS TOLD.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

**FACTS ABOUT FIFTH LIBERTY LOAN:** The campaign will start in April at a date not yet selected, but likely to be the 5th or the 12th. It will last for three weeks.

It will be a short-term loan, probably five years.

Los Angeles' quota will be between \$40,000,000 and \$45,000,000. After the fifth loan has been floated the sales organization will be honorably discharged with thanks, and will not be asked to participate as an organizer in any other loan.

The rate has not been determined, but the bonds will be "more attractive" to investors than any herebefore offered.

The National City Company is the same organization and is the same general way as the Fourth Loan.

Payments will be extended to cover a period of four to five months instead of three months as in the last loan.

"Finish the job," "Peace and prosperity" and "Investment" will be the leading arguments.

Members of the Los Angeles and southern California Liberty Loan Committees were put in possession yesterday of all the information now available by Lewis B. Franklin, the man under whose direction the war loans and savings have been conducted, and upon whom Secretary McAdoo relied to float the earlier issues and to establish the War Savings Stamp. The meeting was held in the director's room of the Security Trust and Savings Bank, and was presided over by C. S. McKee, who is the chairman of the California State Central Committee. Today Director Franklin will proceed to San Francisco on his swing around the circle for a conference with state and district chairmen. Mr. McKee will accompany him to the northern city.

The most interesting feature developed as a result of the long conference yesterday, revealed that the method of marketing the forthcoming loan. The bonds will be of the same denomination, and will be sold on the same basis of patriotic necessity plus private added attraction, for example, tax-free or tax rate or tax exemptions, or both, the nature of which the director refused even to hint. In fact, he said that he didn't know what the details of the new bond would not be told until just before the release of the loan.

Director Franklin is one of the best known bankers in the country; vice-president of the Guaranteed Trust Company of New York, and recently president of the American Bankers Association. Since early in the year he has been devoting his time and ability to the financial problems involved.

He is telling no one, after the formal conference, that he felt little concern over the success of the new loan. "There are always clouds when a loan is broached," he said: "there are always breakers to say that it can't be done, but the country is still predominant and with the people's understanding that this money is absolutely required to meet unpaid obligations incurred in winning the war they are going to see it through."

The National City Company, which the proceeds from the fourth loan were exhausted by December 10 and that bills were now being paid with borrowed money secured through the issuance of certificates and which will be redeemed by proceeds from the fifth loan. The peak of expenditure is now at hand, he declared. "We are spending twice as much as a month as we spent in previous three months, \$2,000,000."

What the armistice signified we were approaching our peak of production, and this could not be stopped in a moment. The money that has gone into tanks and aircraft, he said, is not wasted for it was because of that production that the war ended months sooner than was expected, and because of it the lives of hundreds of thousands of American boys have been saved.

Mr. Franklin made the astounding

statement that the war had not been suspended when there was no peace, but only in the sense that the American

Committee for National Defense

had not yet been established.

The National City Company, director of speakers; Harold J. Jones, director of publicity; A. H. Wilkins, manager of industrial organization; Paul N. Miller, director of labor; Charles H. Hallard, director of preprint organization; Charles Miller II, assistant director preprint organization; Leslie Hartman, special representative of the Federal Reserve Bank; D. T. R. Hunnewell, director of southern countries organization; A. E. Pest, director of foreign nationalities; J. E. Davis, chairman of El Centro directorate; Charles Miller II, assistant director preprint organization; Leslie Hartman, special representative of the Federal Reserve Bank; D. T. R. Hunnewell, director of southern countries organization; A. E. Pest, director of foreign nationalities; J. E. Davis, chairman of El Centro directorate.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday, Frank Hervey Pettingill was re-elected president for another term. J. C. Stevens was re-elected treasurer for his sixth term. T. C. Stevens was re-elected secretary for his second term. John Earle Jardine and A. C. Wagy were elected directors. Clifford H. Dowell was re-elected assistant secretary for his third term. The meeting was harmonious and a feeling of optimism for the new year was evidenced.

At the annual meeting of stockholders and directors of the United States National Bank, the following officers were elected: O. M. Souden, president; T. J. Bullard, vice-president; F. W. Smith, cashier; J. E. Woolwine, assistant cashier. This elevates Mr. Smith from the cashiership to a vice-presidency and a place in the directorate and advances Mr. Woolwine to the cashier's desk.

Mr. Franklin made the astounding

statement that the annual meeting of stockholders of the California-Mexico Land and Cattle Company will be held in the office of the company, No. 445 South Hill street, corner of Fifth and Spring streets, in the City of Angels.

State of California, on Wednesday, the 29th day of January, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

C. L. GOMEZ, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 19, 1919.

**Annual Meeting of Stockholders.**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation will be held at the company's office, No. 445 South Hill street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 29th day of January, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration.

T. P. McCREA, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., January 4, 1919.

**Annual Meeting of Stockholders.**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Lighting Company will be held at the company's office, No. 445 South Hill street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 29th day of January, at 2:45 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration.

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JANUARY 16, 1919.—[PART II.]

COMMERCIAL  
PRODUCE MARKET.U. S. DYE BUSINESS  
DROPS 70 PER CENT.INDUSTRY TRYING TO MAKE  
AMERICA INDEPENDENT  
FROM GERMANY.

**EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]** NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Since the signing of the armistice business in American dyeworks has dropped fully 70 per cent, according to Dr. John Merritt Mathews, a recognized trade authority. The majority of dye for civilian purposes is now being obtained from Germany, and the problems involved in this question, because of the nature of dyes, are more serious than those of textiles for civilian clothing are in the United States. The present situation was created by the fact that the market for dyes was taken from the market by a large purchaser. As a result of the war, the German Government faces a crisis on the outcome of which depends its future. The industry has been built up during the war, largely, by the fact that the country monopolized it in that field. The government license on the importation of dyes, which is made on a confidential basis, would be in line with the views taken for the protection of the industry. There is also a demand for tariff revision on the part of the industry, but this is not asserted. It is asserted, however, that the present position of the industry is not good enough to warrant the same kind of future.

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**AMERICAN ZINC CO.'S  
'18 PROFITS A MILLION.**

**EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]** BOSTON, Jan. 15.—It is understood that American Zinc and Lead Smelting Company earned net operating profits in 1918 of \$1,000,000. This compares with \$1,000,000 in 1917. Profits were derived from the sale of zinc, lead, and copper, and from the production of zinc oxide, zinc sulfide, and zinc carbonate.

R. Pickard of the United States customs service, who is a member of the zinc and lead committee of the war and peace committee of the House of Representatives,

the master of tarot cards of a certain

## RICH HARVEST WON BY POSE?

**Alleged Mining Engineer is Held on Fraud Charge.**

**Said to Have Used Mails in Audacious Game.**

**Victims All Along Pacific Coast, Officers State.**

Dan Van Wagenen, who says he is a mining engineer, was arrested at an early hour yesterday morning by Deputy United States Marshal Dolph S. Bassett, at his home on Monterey road, South Pasadena, to answer to a Federal indictment returned some weeks ago, charging use of the mails in a scheme to defraud.

Postoffice Inspector Cookson says Van Wagenen made a specialty of posing as a mining engineer, possessed of peculiar knowledge as to the value of certain property, and in position to sell such property that looked good. In the two letters quoted in the indictments he agreed to raise \$50,000 within sixty days for the development of the property of the Illinois Dairy Company of Pasadena. Bassett, in his letter, he wrote to W. R. Fouts, secretary of the company, setting out his ability to finance the corporation. He asked for \$100 to make the trip from Los Angeles to Prescott and return. Fouts says this was sent to

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DELIVERY: floor; walls; ceiling; windows or counters; doors; cracks in floor; cracked walls; cracked ceiling	10 10
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the accused, who then dropped out of sight.

**MANY VICTIMS, CLAIM.**  
It is said that Van Wagenen has worked a similar game at San Francisco, Seattle, Portland, and other points on the Pacific Coast. It is said he was responsible for the loss of \$100,000 in San Francisco, and secured various amounts from persons interested in mining property who had something they desired to exploit on the market, or wished to form a trust to invest in mining holdings.

He made a specialty of the managers of enterprises who were in need of money for development, and when the unsuspecting advertiser would send the money to buy railroad stock to the property, Van Wagenen would keep it according to the evidence in the possession of the Federal authorities. His operations were along the lines of larceny, as it charged he ever secured in a single case was \$500.

**GETS TIME TO PLEAD.**  
In his letters he gave references as to his standing, using the Engineers' Journal of New York, and the Mining World of Denver, and declared that he was the principal in the discovery of the Old Dominion Mine of Globe, Ariz., and the Inspiration of Miami, Ariz.

The defendant was arraigned before Judge Trippet yesterday afternoon, but was held on a writ of habeas corpus, his time to plead was extended until Monday. In default of a bond of \$2500 he was committed to the County Jail.

**DIES OF INFLUENZA  
ON WAY TO REUNION.**

Having left Los Angeles a week ago for South Carolina, to attend a family reunion, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Schmalzried contracted influenza while en route. When he died in El Paso yesterday, according to a telegram received by relatives here, Mr. Thomas's father, O. E. Thomas Sr., who had been informed by telegraph of his son's illness, arrived in El Paso before Mr. Thomas died. The remains will be brought to this city for burial.

Mr. Thomas was 32 years old and for some years had been connected with the General Electric Company of Los Angeles, although recently he formed the O. E. Thomas Electrical Equipment Company here.

**STOLE FROM THE MAILED.**

Donald Christ, an ex-prisoner employed in the local post office during the recent holiday season, pleaded guilty in the United States District Court yesterday of taking various articles from the mails. Rosen has been under suspicion for some time and in the course of a gold watch and a knife had been placed in the mails. He took both. Judge Trippet will hear witnesses as to the character of the young man on Monday.

### WAR STAMP SALES PLANS ANNOUNCED

**WORK REORGANIZED; SOUTH-EASTERN CALIFORNIA METHODS ARE GIVEN APPROVAL.**

Plans for War Savings Stamp sales during 1918 were outlined yesterday at a meeting of National War Savings Committee headquarters room 228 Title Insurance Building John T. McBean, assistant to State Director Davidson, presided.

Mr. McBean announced that the work has been reorganized since coming under the Treasury Department and that the Southern California plan of a cumulative campaign has been approved. He said the campaign this year will have as its keynote the putting of joy into thrift, people being educated up to the idea that it is a pleasure to save so that they can spend later. Judicious buying also will be emphasized.

Under the reorganization there

will be no set number of War Savings Societies, but various organizations with no dead timber. Moreover the yearly basis for comparing States will be abandoned in favor of monthly basis. The one state trying to do this during one month it can catch up in another and encouragement will be sustained.

It also has been decided to abandon street sales and probably the first effort will be to get the public for each district to raise as much as based upon the relative wealth, earning capacity and population, which is considered fairer than the method which prevailed last year.

**EFFEMINATE PERIOD.**

Handwriting Expert Says It's Dislosed on Bogus Checks, and Alleged Passer is Held.

An "effeminate period," which a handwriting expert said was a distinctive characteristic, played an important part yesterday in the trial of Donald Christ, of El Paso, charged with passing fictitious checks. Justice of the Peace Hamby held the man to answer following an exposition by Milton Carlson, a handwriting expert, of the points that he had made in his defense.

It was charged that McGinness passed a check on Mrs. Dell Starkey of No. 399 North Broadway, using the name of a local lodger, and that the defendant presented an alibi, and his attorney pointed out that a check similarly signed was passed on other persons while the defendant was in jail. The handwriting expert held that evidence of the "effeminate period" ap-

peared on both checks, and that other specimens of McGinness's handwriting showed the same peculiarity.

**PAL FLEES; HE'S TAKEN.**

Youth Arrested for Attempted Burglary when Partner, on Watch, Runs Away.

James T. McCaffrey, aged 21, now languishes in jail alone on a charge of attempted burglary, because his partner, who was on watch, smelled a mouse" yesterday and slipped away just before Deputy Sheriff Bright, Greenwood and Modis arrived at the Henry M. Hurd residence, No. 1200 West Sixth street. McCaffrey is said to have been put under arrest succeeded in breaking into the mudroom police, although he had a hat and coat escape with a shotgun and sawed-off shot gun.

Donald Christ of No. 1846 Carroll avenue furnished the Sheriff's office with the tip which led to the arrest. Upon searching the premises, the deputies found that somebody had entered the basement of the house and had undertaken to break down a cellar stairway door, but had

been put to bed without leaving the country.

The prisoners undertook to take advantage of the opportunity while confined, and for a few moments, but the veritable hell was quickly closed. All were delivered at Camp Kearny.

The fifteen prisoners comprised

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without leave, who were picked up

in Los Angeles during the past year.

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